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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
VALENCIA WATER COMPANY – GREATER
BUCKEYE DIVISION FOR THE
ESTABLISHMENT OF JUST AND
REASONABLE RATES AND CHARGES FOR
UTILITY SERVICE DESIGNED TO REALIZE A
REASONABLE RATE OF RETURN ON THE
FAIR VALUE OF ITS PROPERTY
THROUGHOUT THE STATE OF ARIZONA

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NOTICE OF FILING

Valencia Water Company - Greater Buckeye Division files an updated H-3 Schedule.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 20th day of April 2009.

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Monthly Minimum Charges:

Meter Size (All Classes)	Basic Service Charge		
	Present	Proposed	Change
5/8" Meter	\$ 16.00	\$ 37.25	\$ 21.25
3/4" Meter	16.00	37.25	21.25
1" Meter	40.00	93.13	53.13
1.5" Meter	80.00	186.25	106.25
2" Meter	128.00	298.00	170.00
3" Meter	240.00	596.00	356.00
4" Meter	400.00	931.25	531.25
6" Meter	820.00	1,862.50	1,042.50
8" Meter	N/A	3,725.00	N/A
Construction/Standpipe	150.00	Same as Above	N/A

Commodity Rate Charges:

Potable Water - All Meter Sizes and Classes (In 1,000's of Gallons)	Rate Block		Volumetric Charge (per 1,000 gallons)		
	Present	Proposed	Present	Proposed	Change
Tier One Breakover	12	1	\$ 2.75	\$ 1.00	varies
Tier Two Breakover	999,999,999	5	3.75	2.60	varies
Tier Three Breakover	N/A	10	N/A	2.85	varies
Tier Four Breakover	N/A	18	N/A	3.40	varies
Tier Five Breakover	N/A	25	N/A	4.00	varies
Tier Six Breakover	N/A	999,999,999	N/A	4.84	varies
Conservation Rebate Threshold ("CBT")	N/A	9,001 gallons			
Commodity rate rebate applied if consumption is below the CBT:	N/A	45%			

Service Line & Meter Installation Charges ¹

	Present	Proposed	Change
5/8" Meter	\$ 485.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 115.00
3/4" Meter	485.00	700.00	215.00
1" Meter	570.00	810.00	240.00
1.5" Meter	740.00	1,075.00	335.00
2" Turbo	1,235.00	1,875.00	640.00
2" Compound	1,235.00	2,720.00	1,485.00
3" Turbo	2,340.00	2,715.00	375.00
3" Compound	2,340.00	3,710.00	1,370.00
4" Turbo	2,700.00	4,160.00	1,460.00
4" Compound	2,700.00	5,315.00	2,615.00
6" Turbo	5,035.00	7,235.00	2,200.00
6" Compound	5,035.00	9,250.00	4,215.00
8" Turbo	N/A	Cost	N/A
8" Compound	N/A	Cost	N/A
¹ Costs for boring under a highway or pavement are additional at actual cost	Cost	Cost	-

Miscellaneous Service Charges

	Present	Proposed
Establishment of Service	\$ 30.00	\$ 50.00
Establishment of Service (After Hours)	40.00	100.00
Re-establishment of Service (Within 12 Months)	-	-
Reconnection of Service (Delinquent)	30.00	75.00
Reconnection of Service - After Hours (Delinquent)	N/A	100.00
Meter Move at Customer Request	**	Per AAC R14-2-405.B.5
After Hours Service Charge, Per Hour	---	50.00
Deposit	---	---
Meter Re-Read (If Correct)	20.00	30.00
Meter Test Fee (If Correct)	30.00	50.00
NSF Check	15.00	30.00
Late Payment Charge (Per Month)	1.50%	Greater of 1.5% or \$5.00
Deferred Payment Charge (Per Month)	1.50%	Greater of 1.5% or \$3.50

* Number of Months off System times the monthly minimum per A.A.C. R14-2-403(D).

** Cost to include parts, labor, overhead and all applicable taxes.

*** Per A.A.C. R14-2-403(B).

Monthly Minimum Charges:

Meter Size (All Classes)	Basic Service Charge		
	Present	Proposed	Change
5/8" Meter	\$ 13.00	\$ 41.50	\$ 28.50
3/4" Meter	25.00	41.50	16.50
1" Meter	37.50	103.75	66.25
1.5" Meter	75.00	207.50	132.50
2" Meter	145.00	332.00	187.00
3" Meter	225.00	664.00	439.00
4" Meter	700.00	1,037.50	337.50
6" Meter	700.00	2,075.00	1,375.00
8" Meter	N/A	4,150.00	N/A

Fire Sprinkler Service * N/A N/A
* 1% of Monthly Minimum for a Comparable Sized Meter Connection, but no less than \$5.00 per month.

Commodity Rate Charges:

Potable Water - All Meter Sizes and Classes (In 1,000's of Gallons)	Rate Block		Volumetric Charge (per 1,000 gallons)		
	Present	Proposed	Present	Proposed	Change
Tier One Breakover	999,999,999	1	\$ 2.86	\$ 1.00	varies
Tier Two Breakover	N/A	5	N/A	2.45	varies
Tier Three Breakover	N/A	10	N/A	2.70	varies
Tier Four Breakover	N/A	18	N/A	3.25	varies
Tier Five Breakover	N/A	25	N/A	3.93	varies
Tier Six Breakover	N/A	999,999,999	N/A	4.88	varies
Conservation Rebate Threshold ("CBT")	N/A	7,001 gallons			
Commodity rate rebate applied if consumption is below the CBT:	N/A	49%			

Service Line & Meter Installation Charges ¹

	Present	Proposed	Change
5/8" Meter	\$ 360.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 240.00
3/4" Meter	360.00	700.00	340.00
1" Meter	400.00	810.00	410.00
1.5" Meter	630.00	1,075.00	445.00
2" Turbo	880.00	1,875.00	995.00
2" Compound	880.00	2,720.00	1,840.00
3" Turbo	1,040.00	2,715.00	1,675.00
3" Compound	1,040.00	3,710.00	2,670.00
4" Turbo	2,890.00	4,160.00	1,270.00
4" Compound	2,890.00	5,315.00	2,425.00
6" Turbo	4,020.00	7,235.00	3,215.00
6" Compound	4,020.00	9,250.00	5,230.00
8" Turbo	N/A	Cost	N/A
8" Compound	N/A	Cost	N/A

Plus actual road crossing charges

¹ Costs for boring under a highway or pavement are additional at actual cost

Miscellaneous Service Charges	Present	Proposed
Establishment of Service	\$ 30.00	\$ 50.00
Establishment of Service (After Hours)	45.00	100.00
Re-establishment of Service (Within 12 Months)	-	-
Reconnection of Service (Delinquent)	30.00	75.00
Reconnection of Service - After Hours (Delinquent)	N/A	100.00
Meter Move at Customer Request	**	Per AAC R14-2-405.B.5
After Hours Service Charge, Per Hour	-	50.00
Deposit	***	***
Meter Re-Read (If Correct)	25.00	30.00
Meter Test Fee (If Correct)	35.00	50.00
NSF Check	15.00	30.00
Late Payment Charge (Per Month)	Greater of 1.5% or \$5.00	Greater of 1.5% or \$5.00
Deferred Payment Charge (Per Month)	Greater of 1.5% or \$3.50	Greater of 1.5% or \$3.50

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1" Meter	40.00	103.75	63.75
1.5" Meter	80.00	207.50	127.50
2" Meter	128.00	332.00	204.00
3" Meter	240.00	664.00	424.00
4" Meter	400.00	1,037.50	637.50
6" Meter	820.00	2,075.00	1,255.00
8" Meter	N/A	4,150.00	N/A
Construction/Standpipe	150.00	Same as Above	N/A

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Tier Two Breakover	999,999,999	5	3.75	2.45	varies
Tier Three Breakover	N/A	10	N/A	2.70	varies
Tier Four Breakover	N/A	18	N/A	3.25	varies
Tier Five Breakover	N/A	25	N/A	3.93	varies
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3/4" Meter	485.00	700.00	215.00
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1.5" Meter	740.00	1,075.00	335.00
2" Turbo	1,235.00	1,875.00	640.00
2" Compound	1,235.00	2,720.00	1,485.00
3" Turbo	2,340.00	2,715.00	375.00
3" Compound	2,340.00	3,710.00	1,370.00
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6" Turbo	5,035.00	7,235.00	2,200.00
6" Compound	5,035.00	9,250.00	4,215.00
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Meter Move at Customer Request	**	Per AAC R14-2-405.B.5
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Deposit		---
Meter Re-Read (If Correct)	20.00	30.00
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Late Payment Charge (Per Month)	1.50%	Greater of 1.5% or \$5.00
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2" Meter	145.00	332.00	187.00
3" Meter	270.00	664.00	394.00
4" Meter	450.00	1,037.50	587.50
6" Meter	900.00	2,075.00	1,175.00
8" Meter	N/A	4,150.00	N/A

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Tier One Breakover	12	1	\$ 4.10	\$ 1.00	varies
Tier Two Breakover	999,999,999	5	5.25	2.45	varies
Tier Three Breakover	N/A	10	N/A	2.70	varies
Tier Four Breakover	N/A	18	N/A	3.25	varies
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Construction/Standpipe					
Tier One Breakover	999,999,999	1	\$ 4.10	\$ 1.00	varies
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2" Turbo	1,900.00	1,875.00	(25.00)
2" Compound	1,900.00	2,720.00	820.00
3" Turbo	2,490.00	2,715.00	225.00
3" Compound	2,490.00	3,710.00	1,220.00
4" Turbo	3,615.00	4,160.00	545.00
4" Compound	3,615.00	5,315.00	1,700.00
6" Turbo	6,810.00	7,235.00	425.00
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Late Payment Charge (Per Month)	\$ 3.00	Greater of 1.5% or \$5.00
Deferred Payment Charge (Per Month)	1.50%	Greater of 1.5% or \$3.50

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